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Response Due Date
01/14/2019

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00411330

REFERENCE: OCTOBER QUARTERLY REPORT (07/26/2018 - 09/30/2018)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following 1 item(s):

1. Your report discloses interest receipts from Vermont State Employee's Credit Union. This depository has not been previously disclosed on your Statement of Organization. Commission Regulations require that each political committee disclose the name of all banks or other depositories in which the committee deposits funds, holds accounts, rents safety deposit boxes or maintains funds. Please amend your Statement of Organization to disclose all committee depositories. (11 CFR § 102.2(a)(1)(vi))

- Your report disclosed a category of financial activity that appears to be disclosed on the wrong line of the Detailed Summary Page. For your information and consideration when preparing future filings, donations made by the committee should be properly disclosed on a separate Schedule B, supporting Line 21 of the Detailed Summary Page. Please refer to the Form 3 instructions for each line when determining the proper categorization(s) for your next filing. (11 CFR § 104.3(a) and (b))

- Please be advised that the FEC Committee ID numbers for the following contributions from political committees appear to be incorrect: J Street (C90014028) and Planned Parenthood Action, Fund Inc. (C90005471). Use of incorrect FEC Committee ID numbers may create difficulty in identifying the contributing committee for the public record. (11 CFR § 104.3(a)(4))